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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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PRE-SEASONED PLASMA PROCESSING SYSTEM**  
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**RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

This paper is responsive to the non-final Office Action mailed October 2, 2008. The Examiner has indicated that claims 1, 2, 5-9, 11, and 12 are pending in the application, all of which are rejected. The present response includes the following:

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Remarks: Pages 9-14,

Fee for 1 month extension of time, 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a).